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Social Gossip

The young friends of Miss Alice Griffin tendered her a surprise party at her home, on Menney avenue, last evening. The hours were pleasantly spent with music and games. The guests were:

Misses Laura Talbot, Jessie Shoemaker, Bessie Stockhouse, Florence Murty, Ethel Gordon, Bertha Seward, Edith Dunn, Helen Shurtleff, Kathie O'Malley, and Grover Sears, Lenford Bazzler, Arthur Scholar, Robert Gattuso, Earl Evans, Stanley Swartz, Arlington Reese, Boyd Perry and William Mitchell.

Miss Florence Bower, of Jefferson avenue, gave a delightful Saturday afternoon for Miss Sophie, who is her guest. The guests were Misses Clara Woodruff, Margarette Koehler, Grace Phek, Anna Russ, Ruth Hanley, Eunice Lathrop, Helen Hulbert, Elinor Reynolds and Edith Filicott, of Patterson, N. J.

Miss Anna Mason, of South Main avenue, entertained the members of the West Scranton Tennis club Saturday evening at a progressive euchre party. Refreshments were served.

Miss Amelia Bacharach, of this city, niece of Sol and Aaron Goldsmith, will be married on Tuesday evening at the Hotel Stafford, Baltimore, to Harry Lobe, of that city. Mr. and Mrs. Sol Goldsmith, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Goldsmith, and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Levy left yesterday for Baltimore to attend the wedding. The honeymoon of the young couple will be spent in Europe.

THIS AND THAT.

Some day The Tribune hopes to be able to print something of this sort:

"Two most tremendous crowds were at Noy Aug park Saturday and yesterday, that of Saturday, according to the estimates of the park officials and the two today morning Saturday until long after the sun had sunk to rest. The most terrific and the most numerous of these crowds were from one of its citizens, was fairly well equipped with batons and bladders, and the Sanborn, Venetian gondolas and scintillating spolia lances were far too few to accommodate those who wanted a boat ride with some one to paddle their saucer."

Saturday's mob had continued the park authorities that more extensive accommodations must be made for the bathing. Ordinarily, the big bath house, with its three hundred apartments, is amply sufficient to accommodate all who wish to go to bathing, but on occasions like Saturday and that of last Thursday, when the new rapid transit company brought 3,000 people from the Wyoming Valley, on the first of its series of inter-urban ball fare excursions, the accommodations were far from being sufficient. It was not until the present and proposed new bath houses, that the most strenuous of the bureau of public baths is that no bath shall be used a second time until it has been washed and sun-dried.

The bureau superintendent will recommend to the public works department that it accept in offer recently received from a local firm to build a bath house of the same dimensions and attractive design as the present one in consideration of being given a temporary privilege to conduct a Turkish, Russian and Roman bath establishment in a pretty Moorish building to be located between the present and proposed new bath houses. This, it is thought, will provide all the dressing rooms that will be needed except in occasions when there are exceptionally big crowds, and it is hardly expected that provision can be made at these times for everything.

"Another hand ball alley will be erected next week, just off the picnic grounds, where the disused tennis court is located. A brick wall will be erected at what was the net line of the tennis court and thus a double-sided alley will be provided."

"Saturday's game of ball on the park grounds between the crack amateur teams of Wilkes-Barre and Scranton resulted in a victory for Scranton. An effort is being made to have the St. Louis team stop off here next Wednesday, which is an odd day with them, to play the Scrantoniaans."

Lewis Morrison, famous all over the world as the hero in "Faust," retired to his California home two years ago, after appearing in the one play and part eighteen seasons. After two years of private life, it took much persuasion to induce Mr. Morrison to resume his part of Mepphito in "Faust." But an alluring offer of the most magnificent scenery and electrical effects ever devised for "Faust" in its long career proved strong enough. And Lewis Morrison himself ap-

pears as Mepphito under the direction of Jules Murry next season in a splendid new production of "Faust," which includes a new choral, lyric and scenic prologue of remarkable beauty.

"Commissioner General of Immigration Powderly is pursuing an investigation that may lead to further reform in the matter of immigration. This condition impressed the commissioner with the idea that more should be taken in the admission of foreigners who do not become citizens of the United States, and who are criminal by nature or liable to become public charges. The present law prohibits the admission of immigrants who have been convicted of crimes in the country from which they come, who are insane or who are liable to become public charges. These conditions are to be determined at the port of entry, but the commissioner is satisfied from the number of aliens filling our penitentiaries, jails, reformatories, insane asylums, poor houses, that more should be done by which the immigrant could be watched and deported if, after a short residence in this country, he develops a condition that would have prevented his admission to the United States."

"It is understood that Mr. Powderly will ask Congress for a special fund and authority to keep track of immigrants and to deport them if within a short time they show evidence of not being entitled to citizenship in this country. The commissioner holds that foreigners coming to the United States for the purpose of making their homes should declare their intention of becoming citizens as soon as they land."

"Since his discovery in Scranton, Commissioner Powderly has made further investigations, especially in the northwest. Just now he is making a canvass of the penal, charitable and reformatory institutions in Minnesota, and the result of his investigations show that about the same proportion of the inmates of these institutions are insane as in Scranton. The fact that these aliens are usually guilty of the most heinous offenses is regarded as an argument in favor of some further restriction upon their admission or authority to deport them within a fixed time after they have been in this country."

PERSONAL.

Postoffice Inspector E. J. Fuller, of Washington, D. C., is in the city.

Mrs. Simpson, of Moscow, is the guest of Mrs. A. B. Mayo, of Seward street.

Charles Colgate, of New York city, is visiting his parents on South Main avenue.

Frank McCann and W. P. Joyce are at Buffalo viewing the wonders of the exposition.

Major Everett Warren and family will leave Tuesday for a two months stay in Europe.

Mrs. C. P. Kenyon, of New York city, left yesterday for a month's stay at Atlantic City.

E. R. W. Searle, clerk of the United States district court, is in Scranton, yesterday.

R. M. Goldsmith, of Goldsmith Brothers' shoe store, left the city yesterday on a business trip to Boston.

Mrs. M. E. Roberts and Miss Redford, of Philadelphia, are guests of Mrs. F. O. Negar, of Mulberry street.

Rev. and Mrs. J. Frank Milman have returned from their wedding journey and will spend this week at Lake Umbagog.

Edward B. O'Reilly, who has been spending the last few days with his parents on Clay avenue, has returned to Lock Haven.

Dr. J. N. Dammell has gone to Chicago to attend a special meeting of the board of trustees of the Knights of Pythias to be held there this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Keator returned home Saturday evening after spending the past ten days on a pleasant wedding tour through New York state and the Hudson.

P. F. McLaughlin, of this city, who has been representing the Correspondence Schools in South Carolina, is now in the soliciting department of the Portsmouth Star, Portsmouth, Va.

Mrs. H. R. Phelps and nephew, Benjamin H. Thompson, will leave today for Ashbury Park, where they will spend the summer. At the park she will be joined by her friend, Mrs. Reinslaw.

Miss Clara Niemeyer and Miss Ella Fuller, two popular school teachers of Green Ridge, will leave this evening for Thousand Islands, where they will spend a couple of weeks. On their return they will stop off at Buffalo and take in the sights of the Pan-American exposition.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Scott Inglis and Mrs. L. T. Campbell sailed Saturday from New York on the Europa for Europe. Mr. Inglis' trip is to Boshburne, Scotland. After visiting his boyhood home Mr. Inglis and party will visit England, Ireland and France. They expect to spend some time in Paris.

PROPOSED RUBBER MILL.

Proposition Made to Locate It at Elmhurst.

The proposition to establish the proposed plant of the Mechanical Rubber company at Elmhurst has brought The Tribune the following communication:

"I understand the promoters of the Mechanical Rubber mill have had a proposition made them to locate at Elmhurst. It would be a fine thing for Elmhurst. Its twenty-eight vacant houses, all single detached cottages, would be repaired and every one occupied at once, and twenty-two more houses would be erected to be occupied by skilled workmen, who come with their families on a regular basis, their average wage being from \$250 to \$300 per annum.

Then there would be a chance for the other vacant properties that are for sale and have been vacant for years, for the office and clerical force, and a number of cottages that would need to live there. This means better school accommodations, and lighting by electricity for the borough.

A supply must come from Scranton, so Scranton is benefited by the building up of its suburbs, without adding to its already overcrowded coats and tenement districts. Scranton for all its marvelous growth and strength is very young, strong, full of life, and it does not need a very vivid imagination to believe that within the next decade a suburb only seven miles away, eight hundred feet higher in altitude, connected every step of the way by the beautiful boulevard, by railroad, by two roads, will be one with Scranton, and may yet be its chief pride.

Excursion to Mountain Park.

Thursday, July 11, the Elm Park Sunday school will go on their excursion to Mountain Park. As the fare for non-members of the school is only seventy-five cents for adults and fifty cents for children, it is anticipated that a large number besides the members of the school will attend. There will be plenty of amusements, bowling matches, ball games and a number of races. The park grounds are in excellent condition, and it is an ideal place to take a day's outing. Refreshments can be obtained on the grounds at reasonable prices. Train leaves Central Railroad of New Jersey station at 8 a. m.; returning leaves the park at 6 p. m.

POLICE AND ALDERMEN.

James Edwards, arrested by Patrolman John McColligan for fighting, was fined \$5 yesterday morning, and Frank Buschally, arrested by the same patrolman for carrying concealed weapons and drunkenness, was fined \$10 and his revolver confiscated.

Sergeant Richard Edwards and a squad of patrolmen raided the house of Mrs. Maggie Colburn, at 311 Center street, yesterday morning, and arrested the proprietress and five inmates. The former was fined \$50 and the others \$5 apiece.

Andrew Scales, the colored man arrested Friday for shooting Peter Thane, of North Scranton, with a blank cartridge, was discharged yesterday Saturday. Thane not appearing to prefer the charge of assault before Alderman Howe.

A man named John Dean, who resides in North Scranton, reported the loss of his gold watch at the central station yesterday. He claimed that it was stolen from the room in the boarding house where he lives, but the police entertain another theory.

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SUB-DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOLS.

ONE PLAN OF SOLVING PERPLEXING PROBLEM.

Board of Control Considering Means of Relieving the Threatened Congestion at the High School—Training School to be Transferred as a Temporary Expedient—The Establishment of a Junior High School and the Raising of Grammar School Grades.

When the High school opens next September, it is expected that not less than nine hundred pupils will be seeking admission, according to the estimates of the officers of the board of control.

How to accommodate them all is a question now perplexing the board. Some think that by transferring the training school to the eighth quarter, and using these rooms for class-rooms for High school pupils, the question will be solved. It is generally admitted on the board that this will solve the question for the present, but some of the members are not content with any temporary expedients and are favoring the establishment of a junior High school, where pupils from the grammar schools can take one or two years of the High school courses.

None of the High schools, it is contended, confine themselves to a single High school. The central High school, with junior or sub-district High schools, prevail in every city of any size. Eventually, this must come in Scranton. It is argued, and now when a pressing need for more High school accommodation is upon us, the proper thing to do, it is argued, would be to establish one or more of these sub-district schools.

President Gibbons, when discussing the matter with a Tribune reporter, did not commit himself to any particular solution of the pending problem. The most economical way, he said, would be to raise the grade of the grammar schools, but this, he felt, would do an injury to education, as it would have a tendency to disengage pupils from completing the course.

It is the ambition of every student to reach the High school, and this ambition is an ever-present incentive to energetic work. Once a pupil reaches the High school, he or she can be safely counted upon to stay there till graduation. The percentage of withdrawals from school is largest in the upper classes of the grammar schools. The longer a pupil is kept in the grammar school the greater will be the percentage of withdrawals. It may be, Mr. Gibbons said, that the pupils would come to regard the High school courses in the grammar school as being the equivalent of the same courses as taught in the High school building by a specially selected faculty, but the chances are against it.

The high and training school committee is meeting periodically to discuss this question and before the summer is over they expect to have the best feasible plan ready to put in operation.

One new teacher has been added to the force in the English department, Miss Katherine Smith, and three, possibly four, more are to be selected.

COATES IS STILL POOR.

Has Not Yet Received Any Part of the Estate to Which He Is the Heir.

Jerry Coates, the aged pauper at the Hillside Home who last year fell heir to a fortune left by a rich but eccentric female relative, has never received any portion of the legacy, but is still an inmate of the home, penniless but far from unhappy.

From the first an old man declared that even when he received the money he would not leave the institution, that the treatment afforded him there was highly satisfactory and he wasn't going to leave a good thing to throw himself upon the mercy of a cold, cold world, old and weak, with his pockets bulging with coin of the realm.

He philosophically admitted at the time that there were worse things in the world than money and that a few thousand dollars in the bank might come in very useful as a reserve fund to draw upon for the purchases of unlimited supplies of tobacco, with perhaps a different pipe to smoke every day. He therefore told Superintendent Beemer to look after his fortune for him, stoically lit his little black pipe and has not worried about the legacy since.

It is fortunate that he has not, as the money is tied up by a tangle of litigation, which forms a Gordian knot that would require more than Alexander's sword to loose. From all over this and other states have appeared needy relatives with claims on the estate and moreover, as has been before narrated in these columns, the deceased woman's will contained a very peculiar proviso, stipulating that a monument must be erected over her remains, costing \$11,000 and naming the firm which should rear the memorial stone.

After the \$11,000 requisite to gratify this peculiar whim is deducted from the funds, the estate does not amount to enough to compensate the various needy relatives, and there has therefore been a strong opposition made to the will. Effort are now on foot to compromise for a modest \$1,000 monument, and turn the balance into the estate. In the meanwhile, old Jerry smokes his little pipe placidly, and when called a millionaire and capitalist by the other inmates, merely grins broadly and affably.

GOES OVER TO THE ERIE.

District Passenger Agent Cross Leaves Delaware and Hudson. H. W. Cross, district passenger agent of the Delaware and Hudson company, has resigned, to accept a position as first assistant to the new general passenger agent of the Erie railroad.

Mr. Cross will have his headquarters in Chicago. His successor here has not been announced.

AT THE SUMMER HOME.

One Party Went Saturday Another Goes Tomorrow. A party of twenty women and children went to St. Luke's country home at Cresco Saturday and on Tuesday nineteen others will go there. The period during which the visitors are kept at the home is ten days. In sending parties it is so arranged that at no time during the season will the home be more than half empty.

LIEUTENANT KECK HOME

He Spent Two Years in the Philippines in the Service of His Country.

Lieutenant Morrison M. Keck, of 1010 Pine street, is back in this city after almost two years of active service in the Philippine islands with the Forty-second infantry. He was mustered out at the Presidio recently, at the same time as Lieutenant Thomas Murphy, of this city, who was with the Forty-seventh volunteers.

Lieutenant Keck saw hard service and plenty of it, but the rough campaigning, torrid heat and rigorous life have left no traces on his strong physique, and he looks heartier and healthier than ever, rejoicing, moreover, in a tanned color which shows the effects of his blazing sun to which he was daily subjected.

With soldier's modesty, Lieutenant Keck is reluctant about dwelling at any length on his own achievements in the East, but he is, nevertheless, known to have been one of the best officers in the Philippine islands with the Forty-second infantry. He commanded his company, who remained in the Philippines to accept a government position.

Lieutenant Keck received his commission August 29, 1899, and was assigned to Company M, Forty-second infantry, destined for the Philippines. He was there practically ever since, and if all his adventures could be set forth at length there would be good reading matter galore.

His regiment was stationed in Northern Luzon, and while it took part in no very active engagements with the dusky enemy, the amiable Filipino made his presence known on many an occasion, and frequent were the lively encounters and fierce skirmishes with the following: the only all-imitative Aguinaldo. "It was a continual round of excitement," said Lieutenant Keck briefly last night, but the modest young officer was unwilling to specify any of the exciting details.

One of his adventures, which promised some doings of a lively nature, was when he acted as the entire convoy of a large sum of government funds. Ten thousand dollars in gold and silver were given him to convey to different quarters in posts for a considerable distance from the scene of his company's encampment.

He made the trip by boat, having as sole escort a few not too reliable natives, whose duty it was to navigate the little vessel, while the lieutenant watched his precious charge with one eye and his sallow-looking companion with the other. The trip passed without adventure, however. The lieutenant hasn't the highest opinion in the world of the Filipino as an open field fighter, and claims that his strong point is the "back game" in putting a man from behind the bush.

Captain Lomax was in charge of the company, and has now accepted a position in the civilian service on the island. The company landed in San Francisco, June 21, their trip passing pleasantly and unobscured. There was one other Scranton man in the regiment, and he was Robert Vail, quartermaster sergeant of Company D. He was formerly a local optician, connected with Oscar Heyer, of Spruce street, and Lieutenant Murphy declares that he made one of the finest sergeants in the regiment.

While in the Philippines, Lieutenant Keck was more fortunate than many of the officers and men, and readily acclimating himself to the conditions, excepting that one day of heat. He brings home with him many quaint trophies of the new possessions. Among these is a quaint statuette carved out of wood with singular deftness and sculptural skill by a native. Another is a pair of shoes, which is just about half the size of a washtub, but being made of bamboo is very light for its size. When placed on the head it completely obliterates all individuality.

Many other souvenirs of a very interesting nature are seen about the Keck residence, as remembrances of the lieutenant's experiences in the East. The latter has not yet determined on his future plans and is undecided as to whether or not he will continue his martial career.

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THE CONTEST IS HALF OVER

MILES IS DRAWING NEARER TO SECOND PLACE.

The Results of Last Week's Work of the Various Contestants Analyzed. Eight of Them Did Not Turn in Points and Are Dropping Behind. A Good Time to Enter the Contest.

Standing of Contestants.

TABLE NO. 1.

If this was the last day, these would win:

Points
1. Meyer Lewis, Scranton 520
2. Henry Schwenker, South Scranton 325
3. William Miles, Hyde Park 286
4. Garfield Anderson, Carbondale 236
5. Ray Buckingham, Elmhurst 193
6. Miss Wilhelmina Griffin, Providence 90
7. August Brunner, Jr., Carbondale 81
8. Miss Norma Meredith, Hyde Park 80

TABLE NO. 2.

How many of these will be in Table No. 1 on the closing day?

Points
9. Miss Vida Pedrick, Clark's Summit 62
10. Frank Kemmerer, Factoryville 59
11. Arthur C. Griffis, Montrose 37
12. David O. Emery, Wimmers, Pa. 35
13. W. H. Harris, Hyde Park 23
14. Miss Minnie Wallis, Carbondale 17
15. E. J. Sheridan, Hawley 6
16. Miss Jennie Ward, Olyphant 6
17. Robert Campbell, Green Ridge 3

Miles was the only contestant to bring in points on Saturday, and so there were no changes in position in the Educational Contest. During the past week he scored more points than any other contestant and gained 37 on Schwenker, who holds second place, and 40 on Anderson, who holds fourth place. Lewis scored the next largest number, 55, and drew 35 points further away from Schwenker, who follows him. The contest is now half over, and today begins the second portion of it. Those who have accomplished results the past week are as follows, with their daily and total showings:

Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.	Total.
W. Miles	9	2	2	33	13	67
M. Lewis	9	2	12	12	13	58
H. Schwenker	2	4	11	11	13	43
Miss Meredith	12	2	4	6	6	36
Miss Griffin	16	2	2	2	2	24
G. Anderson	7	6	4	4	12	33
R. Buckingham	6	6	12	12	12	48
H. Kemmerer	6	6	6	6	6	36
A. C. Griffis	1	5	5	5	5	26
Miss Ward	1	1	1	1	1	5
Miss Campbell	1	1	1	1	1	5
Total	10	28	17	78	78	241

Neither August Brunner, Miss Vida Pedrick, David O. Emery, W. H. Harris, Miss Minnie Wallis, E. J. Sheridan, nor Robert Campbell turned in a point last week. And while they are waiting, those above them are forging ahead.

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